

M67386.AR.000239
MCRCO KANSAS CITY
5090.3a

MINUTES FOR RESTORATION ADVISORY BOARD MEETING HELD 1 APRIL 1999 KANSAS
CITY MO
4/6/1999
CCI

April 6, 1999

MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Minutes of the Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) Meeting

Place: U.S. Marine Corps Headquarters Building (Bldg 710), Richards-Gebaur

Date: Thursday, April 1, 1999

Attendance:

Bill Powell, Belton, RAB Co-Chairman

Mike Nicklow, AFBCA/Rickenbacker, RAB Co-Chairman

George Bauml, Unitec

Sabina Chaudhury, WPI

Guy Frazier, MDNR

Ramona Huckstep, MDNR

Bob Koke, EPA Region 7

David Malecki, KCAD

Bill McFarland, USACE

Syd Courson, CCI

Page 2. April 1, 1999 RAB Meeting Minutes

Item 1

Mike Nicklow reported that the Evaluation and Consolidation Study had been approved earlier in the day by the BCT.

Item 2

Nicklow said there was a problem in how to deal with sampling of the underground aviation fuel line in the Tarmac area. He said part of the fuel line network lies under property controlled by the Corps of Engineers, and the Air Force could not stray from the property it controls. Nicklow said he planned to discuss the possibility of a joint contract or some arrangement with the COE, and asked Bill McFarland of the COE, who was present at the meeting, if they could discuss this at a later time.

McFarland said that he and Mark Esch, one of Nicklow's predecessors, had discussed this issue several years ago. He said that at that time the Corps was willing to let a joint contract for the POL Yard, but that the AF for some reason refused to agree. McFarland asked Nicklow for a firm proposal, in writing, and the COE would react to it.

Item 3

Nicklow said the AF is looking at the Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study and that he hopes it would be validated soon enough to let contracts and start work this year. He said some of the work that should be done this year is remediation on the 1100 and 1200 areas, which are to be turned over to the city of Belton for use as parkland.

Item 4

McFarland reported on steps being taken by the COE to clean up Richards-Gebaur sites under its jurisdiction (FUD sites). He said that the COE had confirmed that one of the eight FUD sites on R-G had been used for herbicide burial. He said the herbicide has been removed and the COE is awaiting closure action by MDNR. He also said the COE had submitted closure documents for MDNR approval relating to a low-level radiation cell. The COE reported that it is on target for submitting by May 7 a feasibility study for cleanup.

Meeting adjourned

Minutes compiled and submitted by

Syd Courson, CCI